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For: FRUCTOSAMINE OXIDASE ASSAY: METHODS AND MATERIALS)))

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This submission is responsive to the Office Action mailed January 8, 2004, which is filed together with a three-month Request for Extension of Time which allows for timely filing of this submission up to and including July 8, 2004.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 C.F.R. Section 1.8A)

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